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LOST—A black and white setter dog was lost on Friday night. Finder will please leave same at John Weiler's warerooms, Fort Street. mar26

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### Shot While Gopher Hunting—Head Crushed to a Jelly—Fifteen Lashes.

### Sir Richard Moves a Want of Confidence Motion—Doc Chisholm's Health.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Brandon, April 9.—J. S. Mullvern was accidentally shot while gopher hunting. His wounds are probably fatal.

Winnipeg, April 9.—Frank Peters went to sleep yesterday on the C. P. R. track, and his head was crushed into a jelly.

Sir Charles Tupper and lady arrived yesterday. They leave for Vancouver and Victoria to-morrow by regular train.

### EASTERN PROVINCES.

### Protest Against Bob White—Application of the Cat.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Toronto, April 9.—Stubbs, the defeated candidate for Cardwell, is determined to push the protest against Bob White. If White is unseated his re-election will be doubtful, owing to his vote on the Jesuit bill.

Montreal, April 9.—Andrew Mainelle, for attempted outrage on a ten-year-old girl, was given fifteen lashes on the bare back in the jail yard to-day.

Halifax, April 9.—Windsor, N. S., is excited over the elopement of a prominent trader with the wife of a rival merchant. Both leave young families.

### FROM OTTAWA.

### Condemning the Terms of the Four Millions Loan.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Ottawa, April 9.—After the routine in the House to-day Sir Richard Cartwright moved, on going into supply, a resolution condemning the terms on which the four million loan, which was secured by the Government in England, at a nominal rate of 3½ per cent., but actually costing the country more than double that sum. Foster replied, defending his department. It was Sir Charles Tupper who secured the loan.

Mr. and Mrs. Croft and Miss Dunsmuir, of Victoria, B. C., were guests of Col. Houghton, Montreal, to-day, passing through here yesterday. They left to-night for New York, and will sail for England to-morrow.

Mr. Chisholm, M. P., who was very ill, is considerably better to-day.

### Smiling in Death's Face.

A Washington correspondent of the St. Louis *Republican* says: Referring to the recent-published account of an execution in the Creek Nation, Indian Territory, a cavalry officer, now here, but who for a long time was stationed in the Territory said to-day:

"I have seen an Indian execution, at which two men were shot, one for murder, the other for horse stealing. At the third conviction for grand larceny the Indians punish the crime by death, believing that the prisoner is beyond reformation. The shooting I saw was in the Cherokee country. The two prisoners were young men, one of them—he could not let his neighbor's stock alone—being one of the handsomest fellows I ever saw. He was stripped to the waist, and his figure would have served for a model of Apollo. He had a quick, bright face and such a pleasant smile that it was hard to believe he was one of the most dangerous and desperately murderous young ruffians in the Territory, who had been concerned in the killing of half a dozen men in drunken affrays. He was a quarter-blood, with all the vices of both races and none of the virtues of either. He spoke English so correctly that I was not surprised to hear that he had been well educated in an Eastern school, but took to bad ways, he says, because he could not help it. The night before he died I went in to see him. He was lying on his blanket in the calm sleep of a tired child. I told the jailer not to wake him and went away. His companion was a hard looking full-blood who spoke no English—or said he did not. It was a charming day in May, one of those days in that region that makes mere life a luxury.

"The shooting was to be done punctually at one o'clock, and about half an hour before the time I, with several other officers of the garrison, rode over to the place of execution. There were perhaps thirty Indians present—the jury and judge that had convicted the prisoners, and others as witnesses. The young fellow I mentioned had heavy irons on his legs and was seated on a stool fifty paces in front of the jail. At his side was similar stool empty, but which was to be occupied by the other prisoner when he was shot. As we came near the young man said 'good morning' with a pleasant smile, gracefully lifting his slouch hat at the same time. He seemed to be the most unconcerned person present. 'What a lovely morning,' I said, merely for something to say. 'Yes; our country is perfectly delightful at this season of the year,' he replied. I was smoking a cigar, one of an excellent box I brought from St. Louis when I came to my post. I noticed that he looked at it somewhat wistfully. 'May I offer you one?' I asked. 'If you please—thanks,' said he as I reached the case to him and he took one, lighting it with a match. 'What a luxury real good tobacco is,' he said after a few puffs.

"Just then the Sheriff and jury came. The time is almost up: have you anything to say?' said the official, addressing himself to the young man in English. 'Oh, no, replied the other carelessly.' 'What could I say that would do any good?' There was not a tremor on either face as the death warrant was read in English and Cherokee. Then a man made a cross mark three inches long and half an inch wide over the heart of each prisoner in black, (the other had been brought and seated on the vacant stool just before this was done,) and the firing party—six persons, each armed with a 44 calibre Winchester rifle came out of the jail. The Sheriff bandaged the eyes of the other man, but the one I had been talking to would not permit it in his own case. 'I want to see,' he said, and they let him alone. I never saw such nerve as this youth possessed. His eyes were without a shadow of trouble, anxiety or fear that I could discover. His lips were firm, and he smoked away slowly with the air of one who knew a good cigar and meant to enjoy it to the last. 'Are you ready? Take aim. Fire?' rapidly spoke the Sheriff.

"I could not look at their death. But at the words 'take aim,' I caught a last glance from the young man's eyes. His look was unchanged. The shooters were not more than ten or twelve feet away from the man. Four rifles cracked simultaneously. I did not turn my head but walked to my horse. As I mounted I saw the two men lying side by side, fallen face forward, silent, motionless, both shot through the heart, and just a little way in front of one there rose up into the sweet air out of the grass a faint blue smoke. It was the last glow of the cigar I had given him. They told me he held it in his mouth till after the rifles cracked, and as he pitched forward on his face it rolled away."

Arrived!

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

## THE CROCKER WEDDING.

### A Fashionable Wedding in San Francisco—Gorgeous Dresses.

Two thousand invitations were issued for the wedding of Miss Mary Virginia Ives and Henry J. Crocker, which took place in the First Congregational church, San Francisco, on Wednesday evening, 3rd inst. The high social position of the bride and groom and of their family connections, and their individual popularity among the young people of society, insured a large attendance. The church decorations were of the most effective and beautiful character and arrangement. Back of the pulpit, which was itself hidden beneath a cloak of white lilac, and behind the great basket of longiflorum lilies which it supported, the wood-work from wall to wall was completely covered with masses of white and yellow Lady Banksia roses and rich purple wisteria in branches, sprays and clusters. Five floral panels, two of which bore the initials of the bride and groom, ornamented the organ loft railing, and there were lavish decorations of roses and ferns elsewhere in the church.

The beautiful bride wore a frock of white faille francaise, with Princess back and court train. The petticoat was of white satin, elaborately draped with point lace. The bodice was cut high, and had a lace yoke. The silk sleeves were long and were covered with puffings of point lace. Her tulle bridal veil fell from a coiffure dressed high, where it was confined by a diamond crescent, the gift of the groom. She wore white undressed kid gloves and carried a large bouquet of white hyacinths and orange blossoms tied with white corded ribbon to match the silk of her dress. A spray of the orange blossoms was at her throat.

There were six ushers and six bridesmaids and Miss Florence Ives officiated as maid of honor. Charles H. Crocker acted as best man. After the ceremony, the bridal party adjourned to the residence of the bride's mother, 801 Sutter street, and until midnight received the congratulations of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Crocker left on the following morning for Mr. Crocker's ranch, and after spending a week there will leave for New York and sail on the 17th for Europe for an indefinite tour on the continent.

## THE EXILED GENERAL.

### Plotting Against the Republic—Secret Confab.

London, April 7.—Rooms have been engaged for General Boulanger and his party at the Hotel Continent. The General and his self-exiled followers are expected to arrive here during the week. This move, it is understood, is intended to forestall their almost certain expulsion by the Belgian government.

The General telegraphs from Brussels that the report that he has been asked to leave Belgium is without foundation.

The *Times'* correspondent in Brussels says that Prince Victor Napoleon visited General Boulanger on Saturday, and that the two held a long conference on Sunday in a restaurant in the outskirts of the city.

Brussels, April 7.—In spite of the profuse denials, the *Independent Belge* reiterates the statement that Gen. Boulanger visited Prince Victor Napoleon on Saturday and on Sunday last. Mutual friends have conciliated M. Rochefort and Thiebaud and a duel between those gentlemen is averted.

Paris, April 7.—Boulangist journals assert that all of the members of the national commission will be tried by the senate. Senator Montesquiou Fezensac has announced his determination to refuse to sit as a member of an exceptional tribunal.

## WHISPERS OF THE WIRES.

### The News Condensed Into Short Paragraphs.

Ex King Milan has started on a tour of six weeks' duration in Palestine.

It now appears that there is not a chance for the passage of the Tories Woman Suffrage bill during the present session of the Imperial Parliament, and it is pretty well settled that no effort will be made to bring it forward.

It is officially stated that the range of observation from the top of the Eiffel tower is forty miles.

A fire in Smithfield, North Carolina, consumed nearly all the business part of the town and many residences. The loss is estimated at $175,000 with only $25,000 insurance.

In consequence of the strike of joiners in many cities and towns in Germany, the master joiners of Nuremberg have decided to declare a lockout until their terms are accepted by the journeymen.

Gladstone dined with his private secretary, Mr. Hamilton. His host lives in the top flat of the highest apartment house in Park Lane and the building is not supplied with an elevator. The aged ex-premier was therefore compelled to climb 80 steps to honor Mr. Hamilton with his company.

Emigrants on board the Red Star steamship Nordland, which put into Southampton to repair the damage she sustained in her collision with the schooner Carrie Dingle, were forbidden by the ship's officers to go ashore. A row ensued, and sixteen English emigrants fought their way on shore, where they complained that the quarters furnished them on shipboard were most uninhabitable.

### Winnipeg White Caps.

Monday there were two separate squads of men looking for "Professor" Ernest, says the Winnipeg Sun. One numbered about 35, the other twenty. The smaller crowd found him before the tar and feathers were ready. He begged and pleaded so for mercy that they had to substitute axle grease, syrup, paregoric, etc. The party gave him a grand dose of feathers and the foregoing ingredients. They then showed him his way out of the city, having promised never to turn up in Winnipeg again. Should he return he will be treated to even a worse handling than he was subjected to before. The boys who took part in the affair were bound to rid the city of the professor. It is not known who the "White Caps" were, as they were disguised. It is said the professor has created disturbances in more families than one.

### Mrs. Langtry as a Singer.

In a recent interview Mrs. Langtry said: "I will tell you something funny that happened to me at my first professional appearance, which was in January, 1882. I was to play Blanche Hay, and, if you remember, she has a song in the second act. I do not sing, consequently it was necessary to have some one behind the screen to sing for me while I played the accompaniment and imitated all the movements. The first night it was a great success, so much so that Clement Scott insisted that I was doing all the singing, but the second night the singer had either got intoxicated with her own melody, or had looked too often on the wine when it was red, for long after the time for her to stop she kept on singing, and though she was conducted off the stage the audience could still hear her warbling away as she was taken out of the stage door."

Cutlery.

M. & H. A. Fox have just received direct from Sheffield a large stock of table and pocket cutlery, scissors, etc. Shaving outfits a specialty. Call and examine at 78 Government street.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

## EUROPEAN DISPATCHES

### Remarkable Memory of Duchess of Cambridge—The "Thistle" Sold.

### The Lord Lieutenant Wants to Resign—Sentences Under the Crimes Act.

By Postal Telegraph.]

London, April 9—Yates' London cable to the *Tribune* says: The demise of the venerable Duchess of Cambridge, within three months of completing her ninety-second year and just ten days after congratulating her son on the morning of his seventieth birthday, severs the last remaining link which connects the Court of George 3rd with his granddaughter. Although the Duchess was able to receive representatives of four generations of her relatives, who brought their presents as usual on the 25th of last July, it was only too evident her strength was failing fast. In the following month she took to her bed, from which she never again rose. There was no pain or suffering at the last, and although she was unable to listen longer to the to the martial music she loved so well. A piano was wheeled into her bed-room that she might enjoy the singing and playing of Signor Foote. Her memory retained its full vigor, and almost to the end she could recollect events of the day quite as distinctly as the conversations of George the Third and Queen Charlotte, or such remote events as her standing on the terrace at Rumpenheim and seeing Napoleon riding away after his defeat at Leipsic. The Duchess, in spite of her kindness of heart, was a woman of iron will and indomitable energy. She entertained decided opinions of certain subjects and never failed to express them. In her George the Fourth always found a courageous champion for she never forgot his kindness to her brother-in-law, whose minature surrounded by diamonds was one of her most prized treasures. No one ever bore intense suffering with greater fortitude. She was an admirable hostess and could tell many diverting stories of great artists of that period who frequented the salons of Cambridge House. Her strength of will undoubtedly helped her to recover from severe attacks of illness which would have proved fatal to ordinary mortals. It is asserted that the Queen was once summoned to see her *in extremis*, but found her aunt taking her drive in defiance of commands of her physicians.

The syndicate owning the celebrated "Thistle" have sold her. She will at once be fitted up for the racing season.

#### WANTS TO RESIGN.

London, April 9—The *Saint James Gazette* says that the Marquis of Londonderry, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, intimates to the Government that he desires to resign his office, owing to the pressing nature of private affairs and the condition of Lady Londonderry's health.

#### ANOTHER ARISTOCRATIC BANKRUPT.

London, April 9—Lord Francis Cecil, son of the Marquis of Exeter, was declared bankrupt; debts £21,000.

#### THE DUCHESS OF CAMBRIDGE'S DEATH.

London, April 7.—It is announced that in consequence of the death of the Duchess of Cambridge, the drawing room which was to have been held on Friday, April 12th, and other court receptions which were contemplated, have been indefinitely postponed. Although the Duchess was latterly shown extraordinary attention by the various members of the Royal Family, the Princess of Wales was the only one of her relatives present at the time of her death. In spite of her large pecuniary resources, the old lady lived for years in a damp apartment in St. James Palace. She was very fond of show but was entirely without taste, as the tawdry furnishings of her room attest.

#### THE BIRMINGHAM ELECTION.

London, April 8.—Mr. Albert Bright's trip to Italy has been postponed indefinitely, and it is now possible that he may make his appearance at the Unionist meetings to be held in Birmingham between the present time and Monday, when the election will be held to fill the seat made vacant by the death of his father. He will not assist at the meetings, as the Unionist leaders have warned him that his appearance on the platform would be the signal for an uproar on the part of those who dissent from his political course. The history of the deal between the Unionists and Tories with regard to the nomination of candidates for the seat for the central division of Birmingham, is gradually oozing out. It appears that Lord Hartington favors the candidacy of Lord Randolph Churchill, and the Tories were quite willing that he should stand, but Chamberlain insisted upon the nomination of Bright, and threatened to disrupt the Unionist-Tory coalition if Churchill should be selected. The Radical leader was remonstrated with, but to no purpose, and finally rather than face the certainty of losing the seat, the Hartington faction deferred to his wishes.

#### INTERNATIONAL LAND CONFERENCE.

London, April 7.—The announcement is made that Henry George, on the part of America; Mr. William Saunders, on the part of England, and Herr Finischeim on the part of Germany, have arranged to hold an international conference on the land question in Paris during the second week of June. In view of the remarkable success which has attended Mr. George's lectures in England and Wales, the interest in the conference will be very great. Mr. George has made a surprisingly large number a converts to his theory from among the upper classes, including many men hitherto conspicuous in denouncing both the man and his method.

#### HOME RULE FOR SCOTLAND.

London, April 7.—In the Commons this evening James P. B. Robertson, Q. C., Lord Advocate of Scotland, introduced a Scotch local government bill. The measure creates county councils to be elected by householders. Burghs having less than 7,000 inabitants are to be merged into counties under one government, but towns of population greater than 7,000 are to be self-governed. The powers of county council include the right to pass private bills, a power hitherto vested in Parliament alone. This is palpably a step toward home rule.

#### UNDER THE CRIMES ACT.

Dublin, April 9.—The sentence of four month's imprisonment under the crimes act pronounced upon Mr. Finneen, member of parliament for the County of Limerick, and against which he appealed, has been confirmed. The sentences of six and five months imprisonment imposed upon Mr. Sheehy, M. P., for offence under the crimes act, have been reduced to a term of five months.

#### CEDED TO RUSSIA.

London, April 9—The report comes from St. Petersburg that Persia has ceded the districts of Khelat and Kerderi to Russia.

#### COMMUNIST DEAD.

Paris, April 9.—The death is announced of Michel Eugene Chevreul, French Communist. He was born in 1816.

#### DOCTOR DEAD.

Berlin, April 10—Dr. Von Lauer, the late Emperor William's physician, is dead.

## THE ALASKA RAILWAY.

### Mr. Hagan, of Mission Valley, Discusses the Project.

The following letter appeared in the Kamloops, B. C. *Sentinel* a short time ago:

Editor *Sentinel*.—Having waited a few weeks in expectation that an abler pen would take up the subject of the proposed railway to Alaska, as planned by Consul Taylor in his lecture in Winnipeg and finding no discussion raised in your columns, the writer, with your permission, will occupy a brief space in the *Sentinel*, believing that everything possible should be done to make plain this important subject.

A few years back the *Sentinel*, while advocating that Kamloops in the near future was likely to be the capital of the Pacific Province, called your location the hub, and predicted that the railway spokes would soon extend north and south as well as east and west. It was argued that no better route could be found for the Alaska road which American interests required and the American people would carry forward—with the co-operation of the Government and citizens of the Dominion. To this subject was given a good deal of thought, and copies of the *Sentinel* forwarded to the leading members of Mr. Cleveland's cabinet. Now that there is a chance at Washington it may be advisable to take up the question again, more especially as Consul Taylor has pointed out what, in his opinion, would be the course to take. He would have it starting "at a point at the international boundary, crossing the C. P. R. at Revelstoke, thence northerly to the Boat Encampment at the bend of the Columbia; thence by the valley of Canoe river to Tete Jeune Cache on the Fraser," etc. We venture to say the honorable gentleman knows very little about the route he proposes. It is true some interested surveyor or civil engineer may have given him an outline, and for want of better knowledge he gives his high influence to the line stated. It is well known that in this province maps have been made, as came out in evidence some years back, by professional surveyors without their having seen the locations traced, depending upon the mere say-so of Indian guides. In connection with the C. P. R. surveys it has been proven that thousands of dollars have been wasted. So much for "submitted reports," maps, etc.

While not wishing to enter into a discussion respecting the Revelstoke route, our contention is that there is another and a better line to be had, namely, crossing the boundary at Osoyoos Lake, coming north to the foot of Okanagan Lake, and reaching Kamloops across Grand Prairie country. Our American friends are fast settling up to the line, and will soon have railway facilities to reach their mining interests in that locality, and take their surplus produce to market. The mining prospects on this side of the boundary are promising, while the numerous settlers would secure to the road a large trade, both going south and coming north. Besides, the navigable waters along the route would greatly cheapen and facilitate the railway construction. Once the southern spoke to the hub reached Kamloops the work would move along the North Thompson, where it is now proposed to build the Cariboo road. North Thompson and Clearwater navigation would very much aid the enterprise, and what is very important, the numerous settlements would be of immense advantage to the railway company. What is known on the map as "the abandoned telegraph line" might be found useful as a guide along the way to Alaska; or perhaps a better route from Quesnelle can be had. We do not purpose dwelling on this question at present, but before concluding would say that in the event of the Shuswap & Okanagan railway going ahead, that would connect the eighty miles navigation on Okanagan lake with the Spallumcheen river, and over 150 miles more of navigation could be utilized to the head of the North Thompson; the former line forming a connection with the C. P. R. at Sicamous.

The history of railway building proves that lines are too often "influenced" to go the wrong route, and it would be well to have those who have a personal knowledge of the country to come to the front in time, and give their experience. To us it appears that the line we have suggested, connecting with the Northern Pacific, Oregon and California system, and stretching out to the Alaskan possessions would be of immense advantage to the United States, while the local traffic and means of getting about would be of advantage to British Columbia. The road will be built by some line, and it is important to learn the best route.

Knowing that Kamloops has no council or board of trade, I would respectfully suggest that a public meeting be held and resolutions passed in favor of encouraging the proposed Alaska road; a committee appointed to get all the information possible in favor of the Kamloops route. Let attention be turned to Washington—not in the sense of Hon. Wm. McDougall meant—and extend a cordial invitation to that road. Under provincial rights this is in order, and no fear need be had of Dominion interference. No time should be lost, for Congress is in session and prompt action from this side of the 49th parallel may result in what we all desire to see—the Alaska road. M. H.

Mission Valley, March 20, 1889.

## SPORTING NOTES.

#### BASEBALL.

The Willamette baseball club have organized for the season's campaign with Fred Baily as president.

An attempt will be made to arrange for a match game one week from Saturday with the Standards, of Portland, which club is the old Portland's reorganized. The Standards, it is stated, have been practising steadily for more than a month, and will endeavor to give the Willamettes plenty of work.

As the opening of the baseball season approaches, ball gossip is heard on every hand.

Tom Watson, of this city, is entered for the coming 6-day's race at San Francisco. His various ventures in San Francisco have not been a success.

An effort was made a few days ago to arrange a boxing contest for points between Clem Austin, of Vancouver, and a member of the Y. A. C.

#### AQUATIC.

A member of the Willamette Boat Club of Portland, who was in the city a few days ago, says that the club, if invited, will come over to take part in the 24th of May celebration, bringing a number of boats with them to participate in the amateur races. It now only remains for the celebration committee to forward a hearty invitation.

#### AFTER THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Melbourne, April 9—Frank D. Slavin, champion heavy weight pugilist of Australia, has decided to go to the United States to meet Peter Jackson, Kilrain and Sullivan, for the championship of the world.

#### SEARLE COMING TO ENGLAND.

London, April 9.—Searle, champion of Australia, is coming to England next month, when he will challenge Teemer and O'Connor to row on the Thames for £500 a side and the championship of the world.

## AMERICAN DISPATCHES

### Bismarck Proposes that no Men-of-War be Sent to Samoa.

### Disastrous Fires — Prominent Men Dead—A Fatal Family Quarrel.

By Postal Telegraph.]

Port Huron, Mich, April 9—This morning at 10 o'clock two men, Jas. Clemms and Stephen Porter, met their death in a horrible manner. Clemms is a ship caulker and was sent to caulk one of the large vats of the Mineral Bath Company. A few minutes after he had entered, the vat porter, not hearing him at work, went to investigate and found him asphyxiated with gas, and in attempting to rescue him was also overcome a few minutes later. Mr. Stephenson, the proprietor, thinking something wrong, also ascended a ladder to the top of the vat and seeing both men lying insensible at the bottom, was about to enter but was instantly overcome by the gas. Fortunately he fell outside and escaped with but a few slight bruises. The engineer, attracted by the noise, procured assistance. A hole was cut in the tank near the bottom and the men were taken out, but both died shortly after. They were married and leave families.

#### WANT TO COMPROMISE.

Washington, April 9—It is reported that Bismarck, through the German Minister, has intimated that if the United States would not send any ships of war to Samoa, or would order the recall of those already en route, the German Government would not send any vessels of her fleet to Samoa, pending result of deliberations of the Berlin Conference.

The story is that the suggestion was diplomatically conveyed by Count Arco Valley to Secretary Blaine, who replied that if a formal proposition embodying the suggestion of the minister, were made, he would advise its acceptance.

#### SIXTY BUILDINGS DESTROYED.

Raleigh, N. C., April 9—Sixty buildings in Smithfield, the county seat of Johnston county, were levelled to the ground by fire last night. Loss, $150,000.

#### CATHEDRAL BURNED.

Mansfield, Ohio, April 9—St. Peter's Cathedral, one of the finest in the city, was burned this morning; loss $40,000.

#### FATALLY HURT.

Kokomo, Ind., April 9.—The Kokomo boiler works were burned early this morning. Three firemen were fatally crushed by a falling wall.

#### KICKED OVER A LANTERN.

Susanville, Cal., April 9—A horse kicked over a lantern in a barn adjoining the residence of I. Scottini yesterday. The barn, residence, 100 ton of hay, 12 cows, wagons and agricultural implements were destroyed. Loss, about $8000.

#### THE ALASKA GOVERNORSHIP.

Washington, April 9—Secretary Noble and President Harrison had a long conference yesterday relative to the appointment of a Governor of Alaska. All the papers relating to the different candidates were sent from the interior department to the White House. It is expected that the appointment will be made in a few days.

#### EARTHQUAKE.

Guaymas, Mex., April 10.—The city was shaken by several shocks of earthquake last night, which, though severe, caused no damage.

#### TRAIN WRECKED.

Los Angeles, April 10.—The westbound Santa Fe train, due here this morning, is reported wrecked at Peach Springs, Arizona, and five persons killed.

#### TIMBER AGENT.

Washington, April 10.—C. M. Ogden has been appointed special timber agent of the land office by Secretary Noble. Mr. Ogden's duties will be in Washington Territory. He will leave for the coast next week.

#### AN OUTRAGEOUS SENTENCE.

San Francisco, April 10.—Geo. Chase, a grizzled veteran of the civil war, was sentenced to five years in state prison this morning, for robbing a street car of a dollar and thirty cents last month.

No trace of the missing city hall plans discovered to-day.

#### SURVEY OF UNRESERVED LANDS.

Washington, April 9.—Secretary Noble has granted the application of a number of settlers on unreserved public lands in California, Oregon and Washington Territory, for survey of the lands on which they reside. The secretary has directed that the United States surveyor-general shall invite proposals to survey this land.

#### A DEADLY FAMILY QUARREL.

Port Jefferson, L. I., April 9.—This morning Louis Conklin, colored, 65 years old, and his son Joseph, 20 years old, quarrelled at 6 o'clock. The son went out to find an axe with which to continue the fight. The father then secured a knife and when the son returned the elder Conklin grappled with him. Being the stronger he speedily had him on the ground. He was about to stab his son when his wife, who not till then interfered, seized an axe and started towards the husband. She struck him a swinging blow with the weapon just about the hip. Conklin sank down fatally wounded. When the woman saw the result of the quarrel she sent for a doctor but the man was already dying and lived less than an hour. No arrests.

#### BALLOT ACT PASSED.

Albany, N. Y., April 9.—Saxton's ballot reform bill passed the house to-day by a vote of ayes 76, nays 44.

#### DISTINGUISHED CHEMIST DEAD.

Paris, April 9.—Chevreul, the distinguished French chemist, is dead.

#### A STREET CAR DEMOLISHED.

New York, April 9.—A street car was struck this morning at Grove street crossing, Penn. railway, Jersey City, by a drill engine. Four men were severely injured, two dangerously, and a dozen others cut by flying glass and splinters.

R. A. Anderson & Co.

Real estate, insurance and collector. Correspondence solicited; 107 Cambie St., near Cordova, Vancouver, B. C.

### What Sect Furnishes Most Criminals

There's a great talk now about who shall furnish the religion for the inmates of the reform school. We should think if they had sufficient religious training before they went there, it would save the fuss of it afterward. Speaking of religious training reminds us that when Mr. Dingley was governor, he had a letter from a woman who said that, knowing we were a personal friend of the governor, she wanted us to use our influence with him to pardon her son, as she thought at his age he ought to be let out so that he could have religious training. As the young man was imprisoned for shooting his father at a prayer meeting, we had not that confidence in religious training that his mother seemed to have.—*Gardiner (Me.) Journal.*

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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## EROTIC LITERATURE.

The analysis of the recent novel reveals the fact that woman is responsible for its erotic features, and not a few honest people are prone to dismal auguries on the strength of it. It is not so clear, however, that there is any ground to apprehend a moral revolution on the strength of these fervid productions. Readers of current literature doubtless remember Ella Wheeler's high pressure effusions, and wondered what manner of woman she was to emit sentiments peculiar alone to lovers during Sunday night vigils in the first sweet flush of "love's young dream." Prosaic people thought her mad, fools laughed, prudes blushed, and critics made the welkin ring with their distribes. Ella, however, pursued the even tenor of her exuberent fancy, serenely oblivious, apparently, to the jeers of the world, until finally she found a husband, when, like many another woman, she abandoned the empyrean of passion for the lower latitudes of housekeeping, and, consonant with her proximity to the lower levels of being her later poems are strongly flavored of the nursery. Ella, indeed, has become as conservative and as prosaic as any old dowager. But it was not in the nature of things that she should be *sui generis*, as a purveyor of amatory literature. The woods were full of impulsive maidens, and encouraged by her example and her success, so soon as they had mastered syntax well enough to construct a sentence flew into print. The most distinguished of Ella's imitators was Amelie Rives, the author of the "Quick or the Dead." Her unique syntacal combinations, her bizarre descriptions, and above all the fearful realism of a widow's morbidness, all these being a departure from established forms, her work commanded interest and finally fame and fortune. In the "Quick or the Dead" we have spoonyism incarnate. Men and women conned its glowing pages with fevered cheeks. Was the thing immoral? No, not that. It was the honesty of the thing, a divulgence of secrets, which had been experienced by every lover to a greater or less degree, but which modesty had kept locked within their breasts. Still people could not, or with strange perversity, would not believe the evidence of their senses. These were simply emotional ravings. Was there ever two such absurd persons as Barbara and Dering? No, they would not admit it, but in their hearts they blushingly confessed that during the courting period they too had been guilty of very ridiculous behaviour. But how is it people are asking that woman is making a specialty of the erotic. We give it up, unless it lies in the fact that she has mustered up the courage to cut loose from the conventional. It requires considerable will-power for a woman to do this. Feminine independence of established forms means loss of caste. Mrs. Grundy is very set in her ways and arbitary. The fact, however, that women are beginning to assert their individuality is important, for the fashion once set going, Mrs. Grundy will have to give her subjects more rope or lose her dominion altogether. Still we cannot get along without Mrs. Grundy. The dear old soul is very stupid, but as the tendency of amatory caperings is to resolve themselves into veritable can-cans the world needs her frown. Amelie in one of her moments of fine phrenzy speaks of "fitful whinnering gusts." Here we have a meteorological condition which fairly takes the breath away from the "oldest inhabitant," and if we add to it that "she clung to him gasping and trembling in the desolation of the night blurred woodland," we have a combination of meteorology and sentiment which brings Mrs. Grundy to her feet with a shudder. At this stage of the proceeding, however, we only laugh at the old dame as a prude. But further on when Amelie tells us of the lovers meeting "hustledly in the gloom," Dering exclaiming unsteadily, "Barbara, you have played me some witch trick," he approaching her in the meantime so closely "that his quick breath" (suggestive of cocktails perhaps) "glows among the fibres of her hair." Mrs. Grundy's amazement begins to excite our sympathy. We feel that Amelie is dealing with a subject which people should be left to find out for themselves. But if Mrs. Grundy is amazed at the situation thus depicted, what must be her feelings when later the following dialogue ensues: "Yes," she said passionately, her stormy bosom tossing some little diamonds that she wore into irridescent sparkles, while he crushed her in his arms: "Yes, it is damnable" (she was repeating what Dering had said), "and he pressed his lips against the curve of her instep." Other people are seriously perturbed by this time besides Mrs. Grundy, and conjointly with her are wondering what Dering's notions of osculation are. Old mother Prim, whose daughter is going to take a walk with her sweetheart, has become so nervous that she vetoes the arrangement, and the wooing that evening is conducted within a couple of yards of the old lady's spectacles. Well, we don't wonder at Mother Prim's alarm. Such a passion as Dering's is a phrenzy, and we question, however true it may have been, whether it should be made public. But there is no need for us to further illustrate the erotic features of the "Quick or the Dead." We can only say that if in such literature there is little to praise and much to condemn, the "Quick or the Dead" can do no harm except to those who are pruriently inclined. "*Honi soit qui mal y pense.*"

## THE COMING OIL AGE.

Mr Chas. Marvin, the well known traveller and writer on Central Asian affairs has published a pamphlet entitled the "Coming Oil Age," a large proportion of which is devoted to the oil fields of the Mackenzie basin. Mr. Marvin is of the opinion that petroleum will come to be the chief illuminant of the world, and as proof he cites that the world's production of crude oil is now such that if at the end of the year it were put in barrels and those barrels placed end to end, they would form a line over 10,000 miles long, and stretching further than from New York to Peking, via London, Moscow, and Tobolsk.

Mr. Marvin has derived the greater portion of his information respecting the newly discovered Canadian oil fields from the report of the Select Committee of the Senate appointed to enquire into the subject. This report says:

"The evidence submitted to your committee points to the existence in the Athabasca and Mackenzie valleys of the most extensive petroleum field in America, if not in the world. The uses of petroleum, and consequently the demand for it, are increasing at such a rapid rate that it is probable that this great petroleum field will assume an enormous value in the near future, and will rank among the chief assets comprised in the Crown domain of the Dominion. For this reason your Committee would suggest that a tract of about 40,000 square miles be for the present reserved from sale, and that as soon as possible its value may be more accurately tested by exploration and practical tests."

From the nature of this report we are made aware of the fact that in Canada we have a petroleum supply sufficient to illuminate all America, when the wells in United States run dry. The wonderful oil deposits at Baku, Russia, are only 1600 square miles in extent, whereas those of Canada lie north of Edmonton, and includes nearly the whole of the valleys of the Peace and Athabasca rivers. From this district, moreover, the oil belt stretches in a north-westerly direction along the Mackenzie river to the Arctic ocean, the whole length of the oil territory being 2000 miles. This interesting information coming to us on the heels of the projected Canadian Western railway, is a strong argument in its favor, and is an incentive to push it to an early completion. The Canadian Western will penetrate the southern portions of this oil region, while the more distant points toward the Arctic ocean may be tapped by branch lines. That portion of the select Committee's report, however, which recommends that a tract of 40,000 square miles for the present be reserved from sale, is, we think, a mistake. These lands should be left open for sale without qualification. Government reserves are prolific of political jobbery, and in fact, reservations of this kind invariably retard development. If the several provinces see fit to subsidize railways to penetrate these remote regions, nobody can object, but the reservation of subterranean deposits of whatever description by the Government, to be developed only as "red tape" may be reeled off, means a quarter of a century delay.

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

Ex-King Milan has been on a bender in Vienna, and having exhausted the pleasures of that city has posted off to Constantinople in search of Oriental recreations. It is said that since he has been out of Servia he has overcome the dread of assassination, though he still wears a flexible undershirt of mail, and always smells of his wine before drinking it. The rumor is that he proposes setting up a harem for himself at the Golden Horn. Why might not Milan come to the States, and set himself up in the Mormon business.

The Saturday Review, in an article on John Bright, makes some very harsh references to his political attitude on many occasions. "Mr. Bright," the Review asserts, "helped to reduce England's position in the scale of nations, to bloat and pamper to an unhealthy degree her commercial growth at the expense of her growth in other directions, to destroy an institution that can never be replaced, and to introduce dangerous diseases to the commonwealth." The Saturday Review, which Mr. John Bright once nick-named the Saturday "Reviler," keeps up its reputation for violence and abuse. It has no influence now, and its circulation has largely fallen off, consequently the proprietors have been losing money by it for some years.

If a good appetite and a corresponding digestion is a sign of longevity, the Emperor William of Germany bids fair to reign as long as his grandfather. He attended Prince Bismarck's dinner not long ago, and among the many good things he got outside of were oysters, ox-tail soup, sucking pig, trout, young bear, roast beef, fieldfare pie, with truffles, lobsters, French fowl, ducks, and quails, all of which indicates a strong digestion, as he still lives. He was not afraid to mix his drinks, but took mostly old Burgundy and sweet Cyprus. The Emperor William the 1st was a hearty eater, and so is Prince Bismarck, and it is to be noted in fact that one of the conditions of long life is a powerful gastronomic faculty. It must be bore in mind, however, that there is a wide difference between alimentiveness and the gorging of the gourmand. The simple gratification of a normal appetite is not followed by mental sluggishness, as is the case with the person who lives to eat. In the case of the former the physical and mental are equally balanced, while in the case of the latter, animality is the distinguishing feature. It is fortunate for Germany that her Emperor is a good eater. Was he of the spare diet of Cassius the German legions would find something to do besides scouring their accouterments for dress parade.

## CITY AND PROVINCE.

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—The dentist may sometimes be a jolly fellow, but he generally "feels down in the mouth."

—Disease gathers strength as it advances. Annihilate it at its birth. When the bowels become sluggish, digestion feeble, or the liver torpid, they should be aroused and stimulated with Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, a medicine foremost in usefulness among alternatives. It should not be abandoned if an immediate cure is not effected, but be used as it deserves, systematically and with persistence. It will then prove that it is thorough.

—The horse one has had, and the wife one has not yet got are always the most perfect of their kind.

—Mr. H. B. McKinnon, painter, Mount Albert, says: "Last summer my system got impregnated with the lead and turpentine used in painting; my body was covered with scarlet spots as large as a 25 cent piece, and was in such a condition that I could scarcely walk. I got a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, and at once commenced taking it in large doses, and before one-half the bottle was used there was not a spot to be seen, and I never felt better in my life." *

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## Dissolution of Partnership.

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HENRY CROFT,
WM. ANGUS.

Witness: A. P. LUXTON. apl-2od

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D. W. MORROW,
Secretary.

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## NOTICE.

The semi-annual examination of the Medical Council of British Columbia will take place in the City of Victoria commencing on the 7th day of May next. Full information can be obtained from the Registrar.

G. L. MILNE,
Registrar and Secretary.

April 2, 1889. a2-1m

## A BY-LAW

To Amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That in the schedule attached to the said by-law, the line, "City Carpenter $65.00 per month" is hereby changed to read "City Carpenter $75.00 per month."

2. This By-law may be cited as "The Consolidated Officers' Remuneration Amendment By-law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 20th day of March, A. D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council, this 27th day of March, A. D. 1889.

JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER
City Hall, March 22nd, 1889. C. M. C.

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JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,
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JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

Notice is hereby given that an Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Provost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.

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### SUPREME COURT.

(Before Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J., and Hon. Justices Crease, Gray and Walkem.)

Turner v. Prevost.—Judgment, March 3, 1889.—This case arose with respect to the succession to the property of one Bridge, who in 1867 took up a pre emption claim on Burrard's Inlet, on which he lived continuously until his death, intestate, on the 17th August, 1881, leaving several brothers and sisters and the issue of deceased brothers and sisters him surviving. The plaintiff is a nephew, the son of a sister, Alice Turner, who is still living. The plaintiff therefore is neither one of the heirs nor entitled under the statutes of distribution. But he claims under an alleged verbal agreement in October, 1875, that "in consideration of his working during his uncle's life upon his said claim, without other remuneration, the farm itself and all its stock and the increase thereof" should be his at his uncle's death. It appears, according to the plaintiff's evidence, that he worked on the farm after that agreement continuously up to March, 1881, not gratuitously, but on shares, and that he took to his own use one-half the profits as his share, which is the usual proportion in such arrangements. In March, 1881, however, the uncle and nephew agreed to part, the nephew to seek his fortune elsewhere, the uncle hiring another man to take his place upon the farm. In August, 1881, the uncle, being very ill, sent to the plaintiff, (on the most favorable view for him), the following telegram: "Come at once if you wish to see me alive, property is yours, answer immediately.—William Bridge." This telegram, dated 15th August, 1881, was in fact signed by one Brandon, who says he was instructed to do so by the intestate, who had dictated the terms of the document. The plaintiff, in consequence of previous letters informing him of his uncle's illness, but not referring to the farm, left Silver City, Idaho, on the 18th August to return to Granville, where he arrived on the 31st August and found that his uncle had died on the 17th.

The plaintiff did not at first make any claim whatever to the land. On the contrary, administration having on the 1st September, 1881, been granted to the Registrar here (Mr. Prevost), the plaintiff on the 6th September wrote and sent to him a telegram of that date: "Bridge's ranch wants looking after, telegraph immediately authority to take charge, until you hear from home." (Signed) Thos. Turner, Bridge's nephew. Mr. Prevost thereupon procured under the Intestate Estate Ordinance the necessary authority from a judge, by virtue of which he entered into possession and permitted the plaintiff to occupy the land as his bailiff, on security that he would at any time surrender possession upon demand. Under the authority of different judges' Statutory orders, Mr. Prevost procured a grant from the Crown in his own name in 1883, which was duly registered; and under the like authority he afterwards sold the land for $2000 to the defendant, Power, who then registered in his own name. This $2000 is now in court. Ultimately the plaintiff, instead of surrendering possession according to his agreement, refused to give up the land and brought this action, claiming in effect specific performance of the alleged agreement of October, 1875.

The jury have found that there was a contract subsisting at the death of Bridge, whereby all Bridge's lands, stock and effects thereof (probably thereon) was to be at his death the absolute property of the plaintiff; and that the plaintiff had performed his part thereof, and that the telegram of the 15th August, 1881, already set out, was signed and sent by Bridge's authority and referred to the agreement and to the land, stock and effects. And they find that "in case the sale to Power be confirmed the plaintiff was entitled to the total proceeds of the sale of the real estate, stock and implements."

Upon these findings the learned judge decided that the land could not be retaken from Power; but the plaintiff was entitled to the $2,000 in court, the purchase money paid by Power for the land, and also to the net proceeds of the sale of stock and implements, (no dates being mentioned). He directed that the costs of the defendants, Power and Prevost, (who represents the next of kin and heirs-at-law of the intestate, except Alice Turner) were to get their costs out of the $2,000 in court. The conveyance to Power was declared to be good, and plaintiff's *lis pendens* ordered to be removed, and the balance of the $2,000 after payment of these costs was to be paid to the plaintiff. From this order the plaintiff and also his mother, the defendant Alice Turner, have appealed.

We are all of opinion as regards the land, the agreement alleged by the plaintiff cannot be enforced. The Statute of Frauds requires some memorandum of the agreement to be in writing, signed by the party to be charged, or his agent. The only document here relied on is the telegram of the 15th August; for the letters of 1875 wishing that some relative should come out, are clearly quite hostile to the notion of the intestate then making any agreement whatever, or favoring any individual whatever. And the plaintiff relies wholly on the verbal agreement mentioned in paragraph 4 of the statement of claim. Now the memorandum required by the Statute of Frauds in all actions on an agreement concerning lands must, at least, to be sufficient, specify the subject matter, the names of the parties and the consideration. It is obvious that this telegram utterly fails to comply with these requisites. Nor is the case taken out of the statute by any part performance. The payment of the whole consideration money is no such part performance of a contract concerning land. To take such a contract out of the statute the part performance relied upon must involve a change of possession or some apparent change of tenure in the land itself. Here the jury say the plaintiff has fully performed his part, which was to work for nothing during his uncle's life. It is very clear from his own evidence that during the whole time of his working he received the usual wages of those who work on shares, viz: one half the proceeds; that this amounted to a considerable sum, and that when he ceased working on shares in March, 1881, the uncle had to hire another man to take his place. However, assuming that the jury were justified in disbelieving the plaintiff's own sworn statement; assuming that this were as hard a case as Maddison vs. Alderson (8 L. R. App. Cases, 467), or Caton vs Caton (1 L. R. Ch. 137), are we not bound to follow those cases? There was in our opinion, no evidence to go to the jury in support of the plaintiff's claim to the land, and the learned Judge ought to have so instructed and directed the jury. And if the plaintiff could not sue for the land, of course he cannot successfully claim any portion of the $2000 in a court which represents the land. Power's position is indeed doubly strong, for he is a registered purchaser for value from a registered vender. It was endeavoring to get behind this position and reach at the land specifically by putting the plaintiff's case thus: He was under the contract for October, 1875, the owner in equity. Power purchased from Prevost, who derived authority to sell from the orders of the Court; he had therefore notice of these orders, and therefore of all the matters capable of being deduced from the affidavits on which these orders had been obtained. Now, one of such affidavits did allude to a claim by the plaintiff; and, therefore, it was contended that Power purchased with notice of the plaintiff's claim. But S. 46 of the Land Registry Act, C. A. 85, S. 33, is express: No purchaser for value from a registered owner shall in anywise be affected by any notice, express, constructive or applied of any title, interest or disposition not appearing on the register. Neither this affidavit nor any of these proceedings under the Intestate Estate Ordinance was ever registered; Power, therefore, is not to be affected by notice of its contents. I notice this point, although in the view we take of the application of the Statute of Frauds it is immaterial. That statute seems peculiarly adapted to meet such a case as the present; a stale claim under an agreement, which according to the plaintiff's own evidence he never acted on from the beginning, a claim quite contradicted by his conduct for some time after the death of the intestate when summoned down by the dying man (as he says) to take possession, a claim made against the estate of a dead man upon an agreement made between the two alone, not corroborated by a single witness, and not put forward until some time after it had (if true) become a claim in immediate possession, nor until the land had acquired an adventitious increase in value. Lord Justice James in Hill v. Wilson (8 Ch. App. 900) says: "The interests of justice and the interests of mankind require that such evidence should be wholly disregarded. The evidence of the plaintiff's witnesses as to their conversations with the intestate is ambiguous, if we look to it for any support of the agreement alleged by the plaintiff in his statement of claim. Some of it is inconsistent with the existence of some agreement, and so with the existence of the alleged agreement: none of it points directly to that agreement. The telegram of the 15th August seems to point to some definite agreement *inter vivos*; but it is as consistent with an intention in Bridge then to confer a benefit on the plaintiff, as with a reminiscence or confirmation of an old agreement. It is impossible to place much reliance on the exact words; it seems to have been in fact written by Brandon the next day from memory. There is little or nothing here of the corroborative testimony described in Hill v. Wilson. However, the Statute of Frauds clearly makes it unnecessary to consider this more closely. The whole of the price of the land must go (according to the Intestate Estate Ordinance Consolidated Acts 88 ch. 62, S. 4) to the heirs-at-law; of whom the plaintiff is not one.

Upon the findings of the jury, however, this included divers subject matters, viz., land and personality. I think such a contract may be treated as divisible, and as to part, the enforcement of it is not prevented by the statute, viz., as to so much of the alleged contract as is confined to the stock and the increase thereof at the testator's death. I suppose this is what is meant by the jury when they say the stock and effects thereof, (i. e., of the farm), in answer to the 4th question, and in their answer to question 9, when they say "stock and implements," I am not sure that they intend to confine themselves to what was upon the farm on the 17th August, 1881, but the plaintiff's claim can only extend to that, which is all that is alleged in the pleadings. The jury have found, (as I have said in the teeth of the plaintiff's own evidence) that he fulfilled his part of the agreement. An agreement for the purchase of chattels, when the purchaser has paid a part of the consideration, is allowed by the statute to be enforced. Unfortunately the jury have not found the value of this "stock and increase" and of course it cannot now be specifically delivered over. Unless, therefore, the parties can agree upon a sum to be taken as the admitted or agreed value of the "stock and increase" on the 17th August, 1881, there must be enquiry either before a jury or before the Master. I do not understand that the next of kin appeal against this part of the findings of the jury.

As to the plaintiff's alternative claim for salary during the six years which elapsed from his occupation as bailiff down to the commencement of the action ($2,020), in order to support that claim he was bound to produce evidence that he had stipulated for, or had deserved wages, and that he had drawn nothing during his incumbency; received nothing from the farm. But we cannot see any evidence of any such stipulation or any improvements or advantage to the owners which would entitle him to a *quantum meruit*; and it is clear that he has out of the profits during his occupation as bailiff, applied to his own use upwards of $1,350 in coin, $589 to Brown; $569 paid for cattle, for stock, etc., and $250 to Mr. Theodore Davie. This is besides living and clothing, and $30 in his pocket in the court room (case pp. 33 and 34.) The jury gave nothing on this score, and the evidence seems to justify them at least in that.

The appeal must be dismissed as against Power, with costs to be paid by the appellants. The learned Judge was quite right in deciding that Power is entitled to this land and to his costs; but Power's costs in the Court below must be paid by the plaintiff generally and not, as in the judgment appealed from, fixed only on any particular fund. The $2,000 in court represents the land, and according to the Intestate Estate Ordinance (C. A. 88, s. 4) to be held in trust for the heirs of the intestate as they stood on the on the 17th August, 1881, or through their representatives if any have died since that date. Mr. Prevost represents all these except Alice. He will get his costs as a trustee out of the trust estate; but upon the verdict as it stands he cannot get his costs as against the plaintiff Thomas; for Thomas, we think, is partially successful, both here and in the court below (viz) to the extent of the value of the stock on the farm at the decease of the intestate, although he fails in his claim to the land. If the parties therefore can agree upon a sum as the value of the "stock and increase" on the 17th August, 1881, (which we take to mean, the stock with the increase between October, 1875, and the death of his uncle), judgment will be entered for the plaintiff for that amount, but without costs either here or in the court below, (except as to the costs of the defendant Power, which the plaintiff must pay both here and below). If the parties cannot agree upon a sum to be taken as the value of the "stock and increase" there must be a fresh trial in order to ascertain that value. Upon such trial it will be open to the respondents to take the opinion of the second jury as to the reality of the alleged contract, and also upon the counter-claim for breach of condition on the bond. The former jury found a breach, but gave no damages for that breach, and from their point of view they were right. If the plaintiff was entitled to the land (which was their opinion) he would not be liable to damages for not yielding up the possession of it. But the question has not yet been considered by any jury from the real standpoint (viz): detention of possession by the plaintiff without any title. If the case goes to a new trial or inquiry, we think the costs of all parties (except of course the costs of Power who is dismissed from the action), of this appeal and of the court below ought to follow the fate of the costs of that new trial of inquiry.

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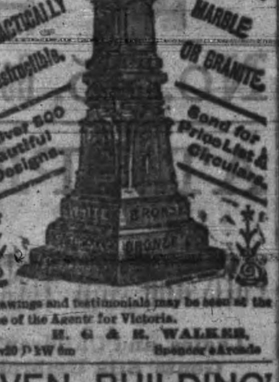

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Victoria, B. C., 25th January 1889.

Dr. J. Eugene Jordan:

Dear Sir—I have very great pleasure in adding my testimony to the efficiency of your medicines. I was taken down with Rheumatic fever early in the spring which never seemed to entirely leave me, along in the summer my joints became so stiff and I was so crippled with Rheumatism that I could not walk without the help of a cane I suffered very much pain whenever I attempted to move. I tried your medicine which cured me in a few weeks; I am now able to work and do not hesitate to recommend your medicines to the public, in my opinion there is nothing like them to cure Rheumatism.

WM. TRUESDAL.

Victoria, B. C., 18th February 1889.

Dr. J. Eugene Jordan M. D.

Dear Sir—I have much pleasure in adding my testimony to the efficiency of your medicines, I was suffering severely from an attack of Quinsy, a friend of mine recommended your medicines, which I began using, and in a few hours the pain was gone. I can recommend Histogenetic medicines as a specific in that complaint.

JAMES KNOX, SS. Islander.

Victoria, September 27th, 1888.

Dr. J. Eugene Jordan.

Dear Sir—As I am about to leave the country I think it is my duty to you and the public that I should thank your agent, Mr. DesBrisay, for introducing your medicine to me. I have been very bad for five years with rheumatism and paralysis; I tried everything but got no relief until I tried your medicine, in it I found great relief, so much so that I will take a supply with me, and when out I will send for more. Sir, I remain yours, T. H. Forister.

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**New Westminster Route.**

Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island Sunday at 23 o'clock. Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

Leaves New Westminster for Victoria Monday at 14:30 o'clock. Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

**Frazer River Route.**

Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and way Landings every Wednesday. For Chilliwhack and way landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock during river navigation.

**Northern Route.**

SS. Sardonyx will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

**Barclay Sound Route.**

Steamer Maude leaves for Alberni Sound ports when sufficient inducements offer.

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| Arrive Seattle | 1:30 p. m. |
| Leave Seattle | 6:45 p. m. |
| Arrive Tacoma | 9 p. m. |

TO VICTORIA, EXCEPT SUNDAY.

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| Leave Tacoma | 7 a. m. |
| Arrive Seattle | 9:15 a. m. |
| Leave Seattle | 9:45 a. m. |
| Arrive Port Townsend | 1:15 p. m. |
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## LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

### News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Ice Cream and ice for sale at Poodle Dog. *

—All men are not homeless, but some men are home less than others.

—Who will be the next property owner to pull down his verandah?

—Mr. J. Piercy is building a fine two-storey residence on Menzies street near Dallas road.

—Best Wellington coal is selling at $8.50 per ton in Westminster, delivered, and $7.50 on the wharf.

—Take advantage of the fine weather and have the baby's photo taken. Go to Hall & Lowe's and get the best. *

—151 words per minute without an error has been written with the Remington Typewriter. Waitt & Co., agents. *

—A San Francisco paper states that six blue jackets have deserted since the arrival of the Swiftsure in that port.

—The annual banquet of the B. C. St. George's Society will be held at the Clarence Hotel on the evening of the 23rd.

—The Pianos made by Knabe & Co. carried off the highest award at the Centennial Exhibition. M. W. Waitt & Co., agents.

—Two ships loaded with compressed fuel are now on their way from England, their cargoes being for the navy yard at Esquimalt.

—It will repay you to visit Waitt's Music Store and see the Knabe Pianos, and the other well known instruments which they have in stock. *

—If your "pianos" want tuning, you can get satisfaction by applying to Mr. Frank Bourne, the practical tuner, 24, Kane street, City. *

—Messrs. Bouchier & Higgins' new office is being handsomely fitted up and quite in keeping with their large and prosperous business.

—A magnificent line of Gendron's celebrated wire wheel baby buggies just opened at John Weiler's. Also China dinner, breakfast and tea services.

—The stallion Frank Hastings, Jr., was offered for sale at auction to-day. A bid of $50 was made, which was not accepted, and the animal was withdrawn.

—The schooner Beatrice on this way from Japan spoke the sealing schooner Kate near the coast with 310 skins. The Kate had spoken to the Alfred Adams with 70 and the Viva with 425, a few days ago.

—The fence placed around the lake at Beacon Hill is a rough and uncouth board structure, which might be in place enclosing a cow pasture, but is decidedly out of keeping with its present rustic surroundings.

—Capt. Alex. McLean came into the city to-day in a small boat from the sealing schooner Mary Ellen, which is at present engaged on the coast hunting seals. So far about 180 seals have been captured.

—The Wellington on her next trip from San Francisco will bring up two passenger coaches for the Island Railway and a 40 ton engine for the Comox mines. A second engine will be brought on the next trip.

—Before the Chief Justice to-day, J. J. Rogers, for larceny committed in St. Andrew's pro-Cathedral, and a Chinaman named Chow Pow, both elected to be tried by the speedy trials process on Monday next.

—Mr. W. Losee left for the Union mines this morning with 14 men. He has a contract to construct 50 coal cars which he expects to put through in sixty days, one-half of them having to be ready in thirty days.

—Persons wishing to improve their memories or strengthen their power of attention should send to Prof. Loisette, 237, Fifth Ave., N. Y., for his prospectus post free as advertised in another column. Ap. 24t d and w

—Mrs. H. F. Heisterman has donated a quantity of pond lilies to be placed in the artificial lake in Beacon Hill Park. If properly attended to at the start these beautiful flowers will thrive and multiply and add to the natural attractiveness of the place.

—Mr. A. Borde, the retiring foreman of Tiger Co., No. 3, was presented last night with a gold-headed cane and an address, upon the occasion of his retirement. Mr. D. F. Fee made the presentation on behalf of the members, and all parties adjourned afterwards to the Poodle Dog, where a pleasant hour was spent.

—The ladies of the Gorge Road church will give another of their pleasing social entertainments to-morrow evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. A programme which includes some of the best local singers and reciters has been prepared, and two very promising local amateurs will also make their first appearance in public on this occasion. *

—In the course of his sermon on Sunday evening, the Rev. Donald Fraser remarked that the peace of a Christian could not be likened unto a gushing torrent, which is supplied by temporary melting mountain snows, but like a river such as the Fraser. Its source, he said, is in the everlasting hills; in its course it gathers strength and develops into a placid stream, and so flows on into the ocean.

### POLICE COURT.

(Before City Police Magistrate Richards, Q. C.)

Alvin Algerman, on remand from yesterday, charged with larceny, was further remanded till Thursday.

Henry Banks, charged with assault, was fined $15.

Edward Cooper, charged with the larceny of a gun, was remanded till Thursday, after a great deal of evidence had been given.

### Marine News.

The bark General Fairchild, bound from San Diego for Departure Bay, put into San Francisco last Saturday in a leaking condition. She went into the dry dock yesterday for repairs.

The ship Rufus Wood has been chartered to load coal at Nanaimo for San Francisco.

### New Building.

Messrs. Brackman & Ker, the flour merchants of Government street, will begin preparations in a few days for the erection of a two-story building with basement on Government street, immediately adjoining E. G. Prior & Co.'s large block. The building will be 30x100 feet and will be occupied by this enterprising firm. The building will be a decided acquisition to that portion of the city. It is understood that the whole block to Pandora street will be covered with brick buildings before the coming summer is over.

### The North Arm Bridges.

Mr. Tho. Kidd, of Lulu Island, arrived in the city last evening for the purpose of interviewing the Government in regard to the proposed bridges to connect Lulu Island and Sea Island with the mainland. When the scheme was first undertaken it was agreed that the Government and the Richmond municipality should bear the cost equally. An estimate of the cost of the work was made and based upon it a vote of $10,000 was made at the last session of the legislature. When the tenders were called for and received it was found that the lowest was something like $27,000, or $7,000 more than provided for and therefore the work was unable to go on. The people of Lulu Island thought the government should bear half of the cost, notwithstanding that the first estimate was $20,000, and the government on the other hand ask the municipality to find the additional $7,000. Here is where the hitch occurs and forms a difficulty—which has to be bridged over before the bridging of the North Arm of the Fraser can be carried out. Mr. Kidd says Lulu Island is prospering and land continues to improve in value. Sales have recently taken place at increased prices.

### Correction.

In Monday's issue of THE TIMES, referring to the province's increased trade with California, the gain for the first two months of the year should read $66,550, not $6,550.

### Trout Fishing.

On Sunday last Wm. Poole, Thos. Wilson and A. Barlow caught 364 trout at Sooke Lake. Another party consisting of D. Phillips, F. Wallanstein, E. Wallace, and Wm. Sehl caught 250 trout at the same place.

### Unsightly and Unsafe.

The old rookery on the corner of Yates and Douglas streets is becoming more unsightly day by day. The building was reported to the Fire Wardens and after an inspection this morning the owners were instructed to remove it or make it secure, at present it is a fire trap.

### Splendid Specimens.

Mayor Grant received to-day a box of splendid samples of wire and native silver ores, taken from No. 1 Mine, Hot Springs, Kootenay Lake. The ore is very rich, the mineral being visible in quantities in all the specimens. The mine from which they were taken is being developed.

### The Alaska Governorship.

Walter Howard, a merchant, who does business in Alaska, has talked to the President about the ideal administration he could give Alaska if he was only appointed governor. Howard is not ashamed of the fact that he is after the office, for on the face of his card was printed, "applicant for the governorship of Alaska."

### For the South.

The Mexico sailed at 1 p. m. with the following passengers; A. R. Evans, A. Betheder, D. McDowell, A. Williamson, Miss S. Smith, Miss Laidlaw, E. Demmick, Mrs. Langage and child, S. C. Dodge, Thos. Hughes, Mrs. W. J. Dowler, Mrs. A. Croft and child, Mrs. J. S. New, Mrs. Alice Jennings, H. Demmick and wife, and Dr. Mark S. Nade and wife.

### A Rule of Three.

Here is a problem in mental arithmetic that our younger readers can amuse themselves with: If it costs the Dominion of Canada $800 for Adolph Caron to take a trip to British Columbia, while Hon. Mackenzie Bowell only charges the people $250 for the same trip, how much ought we to be charged for Sir Charles Tupper's loafing tour in Canada while his salary is running on in England?—*London Advertiser.*

### Height of Brick Walls.

In a number of tests applied to masonry, according to Prof. Baker of Illinois University, piers of ordinary brick and common lime mortar stood a pressure of a little over 1500 pounds per square inch, which is equal to the weight of a column of brick 2000 feet high. With ordinary Portland cement mortar the strength was somewhat more than 2500 pounds per square inch, or the weight of a column of brick masonry 3600 feet high.

### Prayer All Over The World.

By appointment of numerous Sabbath associations on both sides of the sea, the week beginning April 7th, (including also April 14th), is set apart as the "world's week of prayer for the Sabbath." The week is set apart for prayer and conference on the relations of the Christian Sabbath or Lord's day to the church, to the nation, and to the individual, in Sabbath schools, preachers' meetings, prayer meetings, pulpits, and also by articles in the press.

### Art Notice.

G. W. Bigger will enlarge small pictures of any kind, or the most difficult one you have to work from, and give you a nice portrait handsomely framed and delivered all O. K. Your choice of eight different works, oil included, porcelain, steel engraving and water colors, India ink, pastel and crayon that will excel any ever seen in the country. Your portrait sent C. O. D. to any part of the United States or Canada. Send your photos or tintype to 86 Government street, Victoria.

### The Telephone.

The annual report of the Bell Telephone Company gives some idea of the enormous extent of the use of the telephones in the United States. The gross earnings of the company for the year 1888 were $3,865,000, and the dividends paid amounted to $1,790,000, to which should be added $600,000 transferred from the net surplus to the reserve account. During the year there was an increase of 24,083 miles of wire, and the number of subscribers increased 12,472. The company as under rental 411,511 instruments, an increase during the year of 31,234.

### Deaths.

Wm. W. Roberts, formerly keeper of the city gaol, died at St. Joseph's Hospital this morning. Deceased was 52 years of age and had been a sufferer from inflammatory rheumatism for some time past. The funeral will take place to-morrow, under the auspices of the A. O. U. W.

John Montobio, an old pioneer of this city, died at Nanaimo this morning. Deceased was in business for many years on Store street, and by thrift succeeded in amassing a comfortable competence. He was a member of Vancouver Quadra Lodge, I. O. O. F.

### Ireland Versus China.

A small woman and a medium-sized Chinese laundryman had a dispute about a wash bill near Greenwich dock, Portland, on Friday. An amicable settlement being impossible, the Chinaman muttered something and started off with the washing, but came to a stop when the woman wound her arm around his queue and nearly pulled his scalp off. Then she rolled her victim down and covered his face with mud and walked off with her clothing, while the Chinaman was endeavoring to make himself look like a human being.

### The New Sealer.

The schooner Beatrice, purchased by Capt. Grant in China last year, arrived in Esquimalt harbor on Sunday evening, 37 days from Yokohama. The Beatrice was brought over by Capt. McKiel who left here on one of the China steamers some two or three months ago. She is a vessel of 66 tons register, built of hard wood, copper fastened, and is said to be a fast sailer and good sea boat. After fitting out for the purpose she will leave on a sealing voyage along the coast and into Behring sea. Capt. McKiel reports rough weather on the voyage across until the coast was reached.

### A Nickname Wanted.

The people of Washington Territory are just now wondering what nickname will be given to their State. Every State nearly has its nickname. For instance, New York is called "the Empire State," Pennsylvania the "Key Stone State," Indiana the "Hoosier State," and so on. It has been proposed to dub Washington State "the New Dominion," also "the Laundry State," on account of the Wash—as a joker puts it. If a nickname is an actual necessity to the new State it would perhaps be proper to call her the "Tramp State," as she has been begging at the door of the Union for a good while to be let in.

### Salmon Talk.

The London *Grocers Gazette* of March 2nd says of salmon: The event of the week is the floating of the British Columbia Canning Company. There is an active demand in this market, and on the Pacific coast considerable dealing for the current year's coming catch is going on. All the British Columbia salmon except the Windsor and O-Wee-Key-No brands (1889 catch) have already been placed by packers, and buyers are ready to take these two at current values. Business in Columbia river salmon has been checked by the extreme ideas of canners, who ask a price equivalent to 33s 6d c. f. i. for flats; to this prime cost a couple of shillings or so must be added before wholesale dealers can quote. About 125,000 cases of Columbia river salmon, pack of 1889, has already been sold.

## THE ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.

### The Company to Commence the Surveys of the Streets.

A meeting of the directors of the National Electric Tramway Company was held yesterday afternoon, and a meeting of the subscribers has been called for Friday evening next. It is the intention of the company to notify the council to-morrow evening of their intention to commence the survey of the streets mentioned in the schedule. The streets named in the schedule are the following: Fort street to city boundary line east. Yates street to Fort street boundary line east. Johnson street (part). Pandora street (all). Cook, North Park and Pioneer streets. Douglas street to northern boundary of city limits. Hillside Avenue. Store, Discovery and Constance streets. Rock Bay bridge to Work street. Bridge street. Government street and James Bay bridge. Belleville, St. Lawrence, Menzies and Erie streets to outer wharf. Simcoe street to Beacon Hill Park.

## A GRAND TOUR.

### A Distinguished Party of Easterners En Route to the Coast.

Dr. Seward Webb, son-in-law of the late W. H. Vanderbilt, and president of the Wagner Palace Car Company, with his family and guests, left New York last Sunday in a special train of four Wagner cars, for a 20,000-mile trip. Niagara is to be the first stopping place. Then the party will visit Denver. From there they will go to Southern California. A stay of three weeks or so will be had in Monterey, and while the doctor's children will be left in that city, the rest of the party will make an excursion to the Yosemite valley. When the journey is resumed overland, it will be to Portland, Oregon, and after a short stop there the journey will be continued to Tacoma. The travelers will go to Helena, Montana. From Helena the party will make an excursion to Yellowstone park. The party will go thence to Victoria. There the steamer Islander will be taken for Alaska. On their return the special train will start again, and will make a straight run, over the Canadian Pacific route, to Montreal; thence the party will recross the border and journey southward to Dr. Webb's estate at Shelbourne, Vt.

## DEATH OF CAPT. MACLEAN.

### An Eventful Life—Truth Stranger than Fiction.

The Scottish standard which floated from the flag-staff in front of St. Andrew's Society headquarters on Saturday and the Stars and Stripes from the summit of the American House, New Westminster, both at half-mast high were displayed out of respect for the death of that grand old British Columbia pioneer, Capt. MacLean, who passed quietly away on Friday night at his own home at Pitt Meadows. Captain MacLean was born at Glasgow, Scotland, eighty years ago, and after receiving in that city a liberal education he went out to New Zealand, where, after passing through innumerable thrilling adventures among the Maoris by whose deft hands and savage skill he was tattooed almost from head to foot, he heard of the California gold fever, "took it bad" and started to build with his own hands, like Noah in antediluvian times, a ship, with some assistance from the Maoris, who looked upon him as a king of demi-god and chief. He with incredible toil at length launched a stout little ship. Collecting a crew and taking on a few passengers he set sail for San Francisco, having no compass, sextant, quadrant or chronometer. When near the Friendly Islands in the South Pacific a mutiny broke out among the crew, which threatened not only to wreck all his high hopes of reaching the "land of gold," but even the loss of his life. It was here that the canny, hard-headed Scotchman showed himself a born commander. He cunningly arranged to send a boat ashore at one of the islands for fresh water and devised that every man Jack of the mutineers should form the shore-going party. No sooner had they got far enough away from the ship than the captain gave the word to weigh anchor and bend on every available inch of canvas and so left the miserable mutineers to perish or find their way out as best they could. Reaching San Francisco after a long voyage, the captain began business supplying fresh water, which at that time (1853) was very scarce in the city and made enough in this way to buy some real estate and in a few years had amassed a considerable fortune, which, however, he by some unknown means lost. But these were the palmy days of speculation and he soon gathered another comfortable sum and loading up his ship, which he had employed all this time in the coasting trade, he set sail for British Columbia. He settled first at Bellingham Bay, but after a few years he came to Pitt Meadows and has been there many years. No figure in New Westminster was so well and so favorably known as the captain's, and the universal esteem in which he was held here was plainly manifested yesterday. About a week ago he had complained of a tightness in the chest and a difficulty of breathing and his death is generally supposed to have been simply the playing out of what at one time was undoubtedly an iron constitution. The captain's wife, who was about three years his senior, died a few years ago, and he leaves two sons, Alexander and Donald.

## THE ROYAL CITY.

### Items of News from that Thriving Centre.

New Westminster, April 9.—Laidlaw & Co. are making extensive alterations and additions to their cannery at Sapperton, which when completed will nearly double the present capacity of that establishment.

The snag-boat Samson is engaged in replacing a number of the buoys in the South Arm channel of the Fraser at the Sand Heads.

About twenty immigrants, principally Belgians, arrived on to-day's train from the east and left by the steamer Louise for Victoria.

Gilley Bros. are busily engaged with the steamer Adelaide placing the brush mattresses in position for the channel improvements. They are making fast progress with this important work, and the weather being favorable, as it is, will enable them to have it completed within the specified time.

Mr. J. Patterson with a force of about thirty men is making fast progress with the works on the park improvements. The process of uprooting the stumps of the huge Douglas firs by dynamite is proving very satisfactory, and as the work of clearing progresses an area of considerable extent of very suitable grounds for recreative purposes, is gradually brought to light that was unknown before to many of our citizens.

## NANAIMO NEWS.

### Attempted Suicide—Board of Trade Stump Puller, &c.

From the Courier.]

The city council has decided to purchase a stump extractor. Will they uproot some of the old prejudices of the town?

Rev. Father Durand, the popular pastor of St. Andrew's (Roman Catholic) church of this city will leave to-morrow to assume charge of the church at Comox. He will be succeeded in this city by Rev. Father Sorby.

We are informed that our Board of Trade will soon be in active operation. Nanaimo has long needed an institution of this kind, and it will be found a source of great benefit to the city. Mr. Marcus Wolfe, who has been largely instrumental in the formation of the Board deserves great credit for the active part he has taken in the affair.

John Kempe, employed at mine No. 6, Wellington, who had been noticed to act in a strange manner for some three weeks back, while at supper on Sunday evening in the house of his son-in-law, Mr. John Lewis, suddenly snatched up a knife that was lying on the table, and before he could be prevented cut a deep gash in the side of his throat. Mr. John Lewis immediately rushed at him and struck him on the arm, knocking the knife out of his hand and succeeded in throwing him to the ground. The would be suicide was so violent that it was necessary to tie him with ropes to prevent him from doing himself further injury. He has since been lodged in the gaol at Nanaimo.

## PERSONAL.

### Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

Mr. Gustave Lewis, of New York, brother to Mr. Lewis Lewis of this city, arrived last night and will remain several weeks. It is about thirty years since the brothers met last.

Mr. James Crawford, commission agent, returned on Friday evening after several months absence. He visited Montreal, Glasgow and London, spending five weeks in Great Britain, and reports business in the old country in a prosperous condition.

A. J. Lockhart, of Newcastle, Ont., and brother of Mr. C. B. Lockhart, (Hastie & Lockhart, furniture dealers,) has arrived in the city to become a permanent resident.

R. P. Rithet returned from the mainland last night.

Robt. McLeese, ex-M. P. P., returned from a trip to Tacoma last evening.

Miss Clunas, of Tacoma, came over on the North Pacific last evening.

Rev. T. Hadden, of New Westminster, came over on the Louise last night.

Col. Baker, M. P. P., for Kootenay, has left on an eastern trip. It is understood that the Colonel has gone to try and float the railway scheme in aid of which a grant of land was made at the recent sitting of the Legislature. The scheme referred to is that chartered under the name of the Kootenay Railway and Columbia River Navigation Co.

W. H. Findlay, a retired merchant of Charlottown, Prince Edward Island, and W. A. Weeks, one of the leading merchants of that province, arrived from Southern California last evening on the Sound steamer. Mr. Findlay is the father of Mr. F. Findlay, one of the proprietors of the Brunswick hotel, and visited Victoria last summer, accompanied by his wife. Both gentlemen will remain in the city a few days and take a look around at Victoria real estate.

Frank Gregg, of Messrs. Gregg & Son, left this morning for Auburn, California, in answer to a telegram from the relatives of his wife, who is sinking rapidly, and is not expected to live many days. The young lady left for California last October in search of better health.

Ald. Jaques, of New Westminster, who has been visiting in the capital for the past few days, left this morning on a trip to the queen city of the Sound.

Sir William Heste, Bart., came into the city to-day from Steve's hotel, Saanich, where he has been for several weeks.

Mr. James Dunsmuir returned home this morning.

Capt. Alex. McLean of the sealing schooner Mary Ellen, left his vessel in the Straits and came to the city to-day in a row boat.

Robt. Scoullar, of Nanaimo, was among the arrivals by to-day's train, and is at the Clarence.

D. L. McKenzie, Seattle, Mr. Miles, Seattle, and F. H. Sampson, Goldendale, are at the Clarence.

Chief Engineer Dessy is unwell.

Wyman Clark, of Toronto, the well-known nurseryman, arrived in the city last night and is at the Clarence.

Mrs. Croft and Mrs. Dowler were passengers by the Mexico to-day. After a short stay in San Francisco the former will proceed to England.

Mr. A. H. Dearburg, the TIMES collector, is ill, and is now stopping at Goldstream.

Dr. Wade and wife, of Clinton, arrived last night and are at the Driard.

Leonard G. Little, of Ross, McLaren & Co., arrived from Montreal last night and is at the Driard.

E. C. Baker, M. P., is expected from San Francisco on the next Mexico.

A. A. Green has been confined to his bed for the past few days with a slight illness.

T. N. Hallen, attorney-at-law, Port Townsend, left for Paris this morning on the Mexico. He goes over the Southern and returns by the Canadian.

## *BRAWLERS IN THE THEATRES.*

To the Editor of the Times:

SIR,—In the *Standard* of Saturday there is a semi-official statement by the police as to the powers they have to arrest drunken brawlers. They say they will be glad if anyone will "point out any law on the books whereby they can take out a summons against the parties," and they state that they cannot arrest these brawlers inside a theatre, except at the request of the manager of the theatre. It comes to this, then, that two or three men may insult and annoy 500 of our leading people; they may take a ferocious dog with them, and make it bark and howl to their accompaniment, and if they do this *inside* the theatre they are safe. But the Victoria Theatre has no manager, nor has the Philharmonic Hall, so what are we citizens to do? Suppose an American company comes to the Victoria Theatre for one night only, how is the manager of it to know the state of our law? Will Mr. Dowler and Superintendent Sheppard, or our magistrate, undertake to instruct him, for if not, we are at the mercy of a few hoodlums.

The *Standard* is certain "the same gang will be making themselves objectionable on the streets," and that then they will be arrested. But I can testify, and so can twenty or thirty others, that on the night of the canine outrage at the Victoria, a couple of young men made themselves very objectionable in the street outside the theatre. Language was used directly to the police, of the most threatening, the most profane, the most filthy, and the most obscene character, drawn direct from the gutters of Broad street, and yet no arrests were made.

At The Club Theatre on Thursday night one of the "gang" jumped from a box on to the stage, and addressing the audience of three hundred persons, said they were all "—— sons of ——." He then jumped over the orchestra and walked to the back. His name is well known, and so are those of the others; for when some 300 people witnessed these scenes, there can be no pretense of secrecy.

Now, what is to be done to secure order in our places of amusement? It is stated that summonses can be issued any time within three months of the offence, and so the public are impatiently waiting to know what action will be taken.

P. S.—The "same gang," as the *Standard* would say, made a great row in the Club Theatre seven weeks ago with the help of one of the members of it, who is now in the country. On that occasion they were allowed to go without arrest and without summonses.

Yours truly, A CITIZEN.

### Funeral.

The funeral of the late Margaret Cameron occurred this afternoon. A goodly number of friends and relatives accompanied the remains to their interment. The pall-bearers were Messrs. J. Robertson, A. Gilmore, Russell, Patterson, Wright and Dea burg.

### The Sealers.

Capt. Alex. McLean, who left his sealing schooner 115 miles off the coast and came to town in a row boat, was aboard the Theresa yesterday. She had 270 seals. The Pathfinder a few days before had 272. All the schooners, he says, have done well.

### Gabel's Shirts.

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### Passengers Arriving.

Per Str. North Pacific from Puget Sound—A Fukuya and wife, Miss Hillam, A Lefebvre and wife, H T Weeks and wife, C Helf, W W Evans, C Mercer, M N Miles, B McLeesey, T A Brown, Miss Leecar, H McDonald, H Leith, J St John, W Ayrutt, W Wilson, J W Mills, F J Burns, W C Milner, Mrs Ayworth and son, J H McCormack, M Thompson, W H Tindlay, D Muir, O Hammer, J Bangs, W A Lathrop, G Riter, H Linnalt, J A Whetham, Miss Pierce, Geo Shield, H Flat, W H Cody, J Simpson, J Ashcroft, F Muller, J E Lutz, J Stewart, F Carlson, G E Griswald, Miss Clunas, H C Gray and wife, W A Week, Geo Heyworth, A Nelson, T O Bobin, M Gerald and wife, D Rogers, Mrs Smith, E F Lamson, W M Gordon, R O Lee.

Per Str. Princess Louise from Westminster—Miss Morris, Mr and Mrs Howartson and 3 children, Mr and Mrs Dyer and two children, Mr and Mrs Sharmey and 3 children, Mrs Jennings, Dr and Mrs Wade, G E Carbonld, R P Rithet, A Evans, A Sutherland, A D Gross, C P Munro, B Sandbashe, J R Westcott, G Honck, W Rose, Rev T Haddon, L G Little, R Collister, T Kedd, B Norton, W Clark, A R Barder, M J Garet, A Fouthor, wife and 3 children, Raffeor, L Tridell, Geo. Durrant, T Mag, A T Sinclair, R P Morrison.

### Consignees.

Per Str. North Pacific from Puget Sound—W W Evans, Van Volkenburgh, John Parker, S Leiser, Miles & Lee.

### DIED.

ROBERTS—In this city, on the 8th inst., William W. Roberts, a native of England, aged 52 years.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Wednesday) at 2:30 p. m. from the hall of the United Workmen, Government Street, and at 3 o'clock from Christ Church Cathedral. Friends are invited to attend.

RICHARDSON—In this city, on the 7th inst., Albert Richardson, a native of Derbyshire, England, aged 25 years.

The funeral will take place from T. Story's undertaking rooms on Wednesday, 10th inst., at 2 p. m.

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### FUNERAL NOTICE.

MEMBERS of Victoria Lodge, No. 19, A. O. U. W., are required to meet at their Lodge Room to-morrow at 2:30, p. m., to attend the funeral of our deceased Brother, W. W. Roberts. All members of the fraternity are invited.

J. A. HALLIDAY, Recorder.

### TENDERS

ARE INVITED FOR THE ERECTION OF A two-story frame dwelling-house on Dallas Road, for which plans and specifications may be seen at my office, where tenders must be delivered not later than 12 o'clock noon, on the 15th inst. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. RIDGEWAY-WILSON, Architect. ap9

### NOTICE.

The undersigned Job Printers of Victoria have decided to close their job offices every Saturday at 1 p. m., to commence on Saturday, April 13, 1889.

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to Wednesday, the 10th of April, at 4 p. m., at the City Clerk's office, for the sprinkling of certain streets in the City of Victoria, for the usual time. Full information provided at the City Surveyor's office.

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